

# Fraud, Lies and Treachery by the Irish Government: Case for the Prosecution

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The Irish government does not serve the people of Ireland. Rather it serves an international syndicate controlled by the Crown. This syndicate is imposing on all nations what it likes to call a 'New World Order.' This term was first used in a public news broadcast by President George Bush senior in 1991. At that time very few knew what he meant. In light of all that has happened since then, including disclosures from sources close to the nucleus of the New World Order (NWO), we now know he was referring to an international system of government that would control all nations.

The new world order is simply Communism under another name. Its great showpiece is Communist China, where all rights and privileges are defined and conferred by the state, and where all citizens are required to regulate their lives strictly in accordance with the values and standards set by the ruling elite. Under Communism a person ceases to exist as an individual with imprescriptible, God-given rights. He becomes instead a servant of the state, a functionary whose value and purpose as a person derive solely from the role assigned to him by the state.

## **The Bilderberg Group – a breeding ground for traitors**

Irish governments over the past 40 years or more have included high-ranking members, such as Garret Fitzgerald, who sought to prepare Ireland – its people and its institutions – for entry into the New World Order. Fitzgerald was a regular attendee at meetings of the Bilderberg Group, an international consortium dedicated to the creation of the NWO. Ireland has been represented at these meetings ever since. In fact the current Cabinet has at least 3 Bilderberg members.

The Bilderberg Group was founded in 1954 by a team of billionaires who are using the doctrines of Communism to secure complete control over the earth and its resources. They continue to pour substantial funds into this ambitious project since the return on their investment, on its completion, will be immense. Just as a small group of oligarchs own and control Russia and China, the oligarchs behind the coming New World Order will end up owning and controlling the entire earth. What is more their new system of world government will operate along the same lines as a totalitarian police state, thus ensuring that their hegemony will never be challenged.

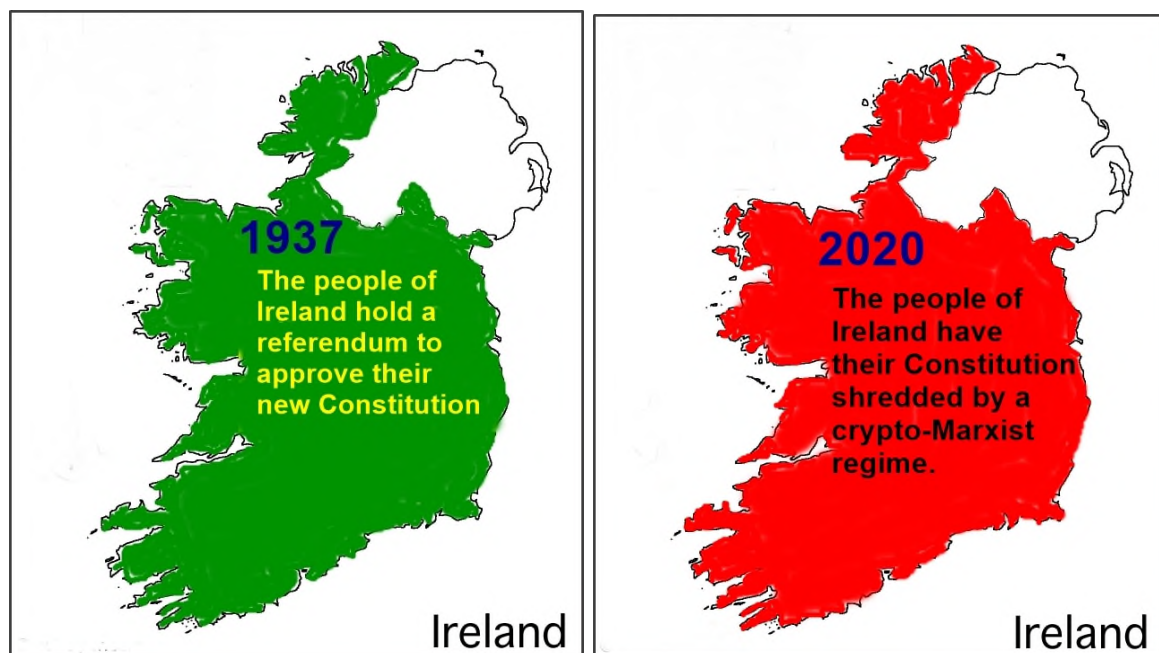
				
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<b>Some well-known Bilderberg attendees</b>				

## **The Irish government is serving foreign powers**

The Irish government are willing pawns in this project. They are traitors who have deceived the Irish people and are working in step with the architects of the New World Order to undermine Irish sovereignty. This plan moved into high gear in 2020 with the fake Covid ‘pandemic’. Most governments around the world went ahead and implemented in unison the same destructive and unscientific set of proposals.

In this paper we will examine the way the Irish government conspired with their international counterparts to wreck our economy and impose laws and regulations designed to deprive the people of Ireland of their Constitutional rights, stifle free speech, quash dissent, and impoverish a large segment of our population.

Have no doubt, Ireland is ruled by people who are as venal, deceitful and rapacious as their counterparts in other countries. If the crimes we are about to discuss were prosecuted through an impartial court system the weight of evidence would convict most of our top politicians. The crimes are so egregious that custodial sentences of twenty years or more would be warranted.



### **Serious harm caused by Government Policy**

A summary of the actions taken by the government in response to the fake pandemic may be found in **Appendix A** attached. Since these details are already familiar to our readers we won't rehearse them here.

The measures introduced by the government to contain the spread of Covid-19 have had an extremely adverse impact on the economy and the fabric of Irish society. The many deleterious effects have not been properly monitored by the government or discussed in the media. The list below is not comprehensive.

#### **- fiscal and economic effects**

According to the Minister for Finance in his Budget Speech 2021, GDP was expected to fall by 2.5 percent in 2020, while domestic demand was expected to fall by 6 percent. These are very significant economic contractions. The fall in domestic demand is unusually severe.

The annual average unemployment rate for 2020 was estimated to be 16 percent, involving a total loss of approximately 320,000 jobs. Youth unemployment hit a peak of 64 percent in May, a figure which the Minister for Finance conceded was “unimaginable” just a few months previously.

The Minister set out a very bleak picture for 2021 and thereafter:

“But let me reiterate, the outlook remains uncertain. For instance, under a more challenging scenario, one where the disease continues to spread over the coming months followed by a much slower economic recovery next year, growth would be reduced by a further 1 percentage point this year to minus 3½ per cent, and by almost 4 percentage points in 2021 to around minus 2¼ per cent. This is a stark reminder of the journey ahead.”

He is effectively admitting that the government’s Covid policies have had a devastating impact on the economy. His comments disguise the fact that earnings from multinationals based in Ireland, mostly pharmaceuticals and IT, have made a disproportionate contribution to national output. The negative impact on the real economy is therefore much greater than these figures suggest.

The projected budget deficit for 2020 was 6.2 percent, “a huge figure by Irish standards” according to the Minister. This represents additional borrowing of around €15bn to cover the cost of the government’s Covid policies. The projected National Debt, which was already unsustainable, now stands at close to €220bn. Every home in Ireland owes the Rothschild cartel €129,000, for which they received – nothing. This reveals in stark terms **who** our government is working for.

### **Irish Debt Slaves to the New World Order and the Rothschild Banking System**

**Number of households in Ireland = 1,700,000**

**National Debt = €220bn**

**Share of National Debt per household = €129,000  
[ \$155,000 ]**

#### **- impact on small and medium-sized businesses**

The marked fall in domestic demand has had a severe impact on small and medium-sized businesses. Many have had to close permanently. The cost for the families affected has been considerable. Support payments by the government have enabled others to remain open, but the future is very uncertain for businesses which are barely surviving in the current climate. Instead of investing in their future, many have been forced to run down their savings simply to stay afloat.



### **- adverse health impact**

It is ironic that a set of policies intended to address an alleged health crisis has generated a huge number of health-related problems within our society, all of which were foreseeable. It may be years before the true impact of a major contraction in our hospital services can be fully assessed but there is no doubt, as many medical professionals have attested, that the real cost in terms of morbidity and mortality – directly attributable to the government's Covid policies – will cancel out the benefits that the government alleged without proof would accrue from those policies.



**Dr Fiona Godlee, editor of the *British Medical Journal* (BMJ), holding a marionette dressed as a medical doctor. She keeps it in her office to remind her of the hidden strings that the pharmaceutical industry use to influence scientific research. In an interview in 2016, she said, "I think we have to call it what it is. It is the corruption of the scientific process."**

The medical harm caused by the government's Covid policies may be classified under five broad headings:

#### 1. Deferred diagnosis and delayed treatment

This includes the many thousands of cases of cancer, diabetes, heart disease and other life-threatening conditions where delays in diagnosis and treatment are certain to have caused unnecessary suffering and possibly shortened the lives of those affected.

#### 2. Deferred treatment

Many people in our society, especially the elderly, require routine medical procedures, including surgery, to reduce pain and discomfort and to extend their lives. Most of these cases were put on hold for a considerable time by the government's Covid policies.

### 3. Psychological distress

The isolation and confinement imposed by the government's policies is known to have had a serious adverse effect on the mental and emotional well-being of many of our citizens, especially the elderly. Anecdotal reports indicate that cases of depression and anxiety have increased substantially, resulting in a greater number of suicides. [The impact on children is addressed in a separate section.]

### 4. Substance abuse

The severe disruption caused by lockdowns, physical distancing, mask-wearing, and extended periods of home-working, etc has resulted in a higher dependence on alcohol and, according to anecdotal evidence, the greater use of illicit drugs.

### 5. Domestic violence

Anecdotal evidence indicates that the stress generated in family homes by extended periods of confinement has greatly exacerbated the strain on marriages which were already in difficulty. According to informal reports cases of domestic violence have risen significantly.

### **- harm to children and child development**

The nation's children have been adversely affected by the government's Covid policies. Their schooling has been severely disrupted, causing much confusion and distress. The impact on children with special needs has been immense. The requirement that schoolchildren practice social distancing and wear face masks has been a source of anxiety for many of them. Studies show that the healthy development of a child is greatly influenced by how well he or she interacts at a social and emotional level with his or her peers.

The prolonged practice of social distancing and mask-wearing during critical phases in their development is bound to have a detrimental, albeit unquantifiable, effect on many of our children. As a direct consequence of this, many psychologists expect to see a marked increase in the years ahead in cases of acute shyness, introversion, social anxiety and related emotional problems among young adults.



### **- impact on the elderly**

The Covid regime is unusually cruel to the elderly. They are effectively locked away from their family and friends – regardless of their health or circumstances – and asked to live in isolation for weeks at a time. The toll on their mental and emotional health must be intolerable. It has long been established that the stress level among the elderly rises significantly if they are deprived of companionship for any length of time, and when this happens their immune function can spiral downward. For every elderly person who is ‘helped’ by the Covid regime (if, indeed, any are protected in a meaningful way from viral infection by these draconian rules) there are undoubtedly dozens who are harmed. In practice, the Covid isolation regime is proving to be a slow form of euthanasia.




### **- impact on our social fabric**

The Covid restrictions have greatly reduced social contact within the community and across the country as a whole. Countless routine activities have been sharply curtailed or banned entirely. Most of these are an intrinsic feature of a healthy society and their restriction or elimination, especially on such a wide scale, must be considered harmful. The following list shows how far-reaching the suppression of normal social behaviour has been: social visits to one's neighbours are forbidden; normal sporting activities are no longer possible; simple handshakes are illegal; many shops are shut and those which remain open require customers to wear a mask and socially distance; only ten people can attend a funeral service; church services are forbidden; attendance at cinemas, theatres, museums etc is forbidden; journeys further than 5kms from one's home are outlawed; etc. etc.

To impose measures of this kind for months on end without any obvious benefit is simply insane. Since our government is not insane, these extreme measures must serve an ulterior purpose, namely, to weaken our country to the point where it can no longer resist the New World Order. The cumulative ‘lockdown’ time for Ireland is higher than that of any other country in the world, possibly because the Irish have not yet realized that all of their top politicians are bought and paid for by Crown agents and the international corporate elite. Also, they have not yet realized that the Irish media is owned by the same people and run by scheming neo-Marxists.

The climate of social suppression is greatly aggravated by the use of the Gardai Siochana [Irish police] to monitor compliance, set up roadside checkpoints, issue warnings and fines, seek personal details without cause, etc. The Gardai now have the power to arrest or detain a person without a warrant. Any attempt to contest a decision by a Garda, for example by asking him to explain the legal justification for his actions, can be construed by him as a public order offence.

The Covid restrictions mark a significant shift away from the discretionary human behaviour guaranteed under the Constitution to behaviour constrained by rules laid down by the government. The right that a citizen formerly enjoyed to assert his or her freedoms under Common Law has been replaced in part by a code of behaviour defined and approved by the government. It is now far from clear whether the Constitution is still the overarching law of the land or whether the government is able to invoke circumstances, such as an alleged public health emergency, in which its rules and edicts supersede the Constitution. The social and democratic implications of this are profound.

	<p>Many of the subversive, anti-Christian policies pursued by the Irish government in recent years come directly from <i>The Communist Manifesto</i>.</p> <p>They include restrictions on free speech and freedom of movement, the suppression of religious gatherings and Christian worship, the abolition of absolute gender distinctions, conferral on the state the power to break up families, removal of the right to engage in public protest, the redefinition of marriage, the legalization of abortion, the promotion of sodomy, the sexualization of children, and – in a Bill currently before the Oireachtas – the abolition of private property.</p> <p>The government has also subverted the media, to the point where RTE, <i>The Irish Times</i>, and <i>The Irish Independent</i> (among others) are no more than vehicles for state propaganda. The country no longer has a free press. Dissenting views are systematically suppressed.</p>
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### **Draconian policies were imposed in an unaccountable manner**

The extent to which the government's Covid-containment policies were reasonable and proportionate must be gauged by reference to (a) the availability of suitable alternative courses of action, (b) the likelihood that the policies would be successful, (c) the degree to which the policies would cause unavoidable harm or distress, and (d) the severity of the alleged threat to public health.



It was possible for the Government, between the time the first case of 'Covid' was reported in Ireland (29 February) and the date of the first 'lockdown' (27 March) – 18 working days – to prepare a detailed Memorandum for the Dáil (and the Irish people) explaining why, in its estimation, its proposed policies were both reasonable and proportionate. Such a Memorandum would have addressed the four factors identified in the previous paragraph and supplied objective, scientific evidence to support its position.

It failed to do so. This was inexplicable and a serious dereliction of duty. Neither the people of Ireland nor their elected representatives were given any basis on which to determine whether the government was acting in their best interests. Given the magnitude of what the government was proposing and the implications for the nation as a whole if its policies went awry, this failure would strongly suggest that the government had already decided on the course of action it would take and that no objective evaluation or discussion of its proposed policies would be permitted.

To their shame, the members of the Dáil failed to request a Memorandum of the kind described when the two 'Covid' Acts were debated in the Dáil or at any time thereafter.

To this day the legitimacy of the action taken by the government, its scientific justification, or its proportionality have never been established.



**Another page from the Marxist playbook –  
constant police surveillance, intimidation and harassment.**

### **The severity of the threat posed by the alleged pandemic**

The extent to which the government deliberately exaggerated the threat to public health from 'Covid' becomes apparent when one examines the official rhetoric at the time a 'pandemic' was declared. The Taoiseach, Leo Varadkar TD, announced that 85,000 people would die in Ireland from Covid. This was an astonishing figure.

The HIQA report, discussed below, says that, weeks after the ‘pandemic’ had peaked, a total of 1,709 deaths were officially attributed to Covid, a figure which it says was inflated by the inclusion of people who definitely did not die of Covid. Given that the mean age of those who died from ‘Covid’ was 82, virtually all of whom had co-morbidities, the true number of Covid deaths – being deaths caused primarily by Covid – during this period (11 March to 16 June) was almost certainly less than a thousand.

What are we to make of this alarming scenario? The Taoiseach claimed that 1.7 percent of the entire population of Ireland would die from Covid. This ridiculous estimate amounted to blatant scaremongering. He was off by a factor of x85!

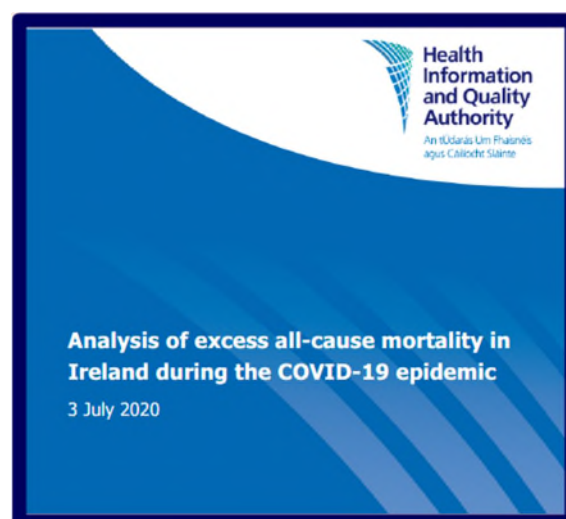
The HIQA report, *Analysis of excess all-cause mortality in Ireland during the COVID-19 epidemic* (3 July 2020), stated “For the period from 11 March to 16 June, the observed mortality was 13% more than that expected.” Note that the report describes the Covid event as an epidemic, not a pandemic.



**Headline of article in *The Irish Independent*, 11 March 2020.**

**The article asks a pertinent question: How did the Taoiseach reach that figure?**

It goes on to say: “COVID-19 may have accelerated time of death in frail and vulnerable individuals over the peak period. The excess mortality observed at the peak is now being followed by a period of decreased mortality as date of death for individuals who would ordinarily have died during this time may have occurred earlier than expected.”



So, according to HIQA, the so-called ‘pandemic’ caused a mere 13 percent more deaths than expected for that period (11 March to 16 June). Furthermore, the excess was caused by a slight acceleration in the death rate among frail elderly persons who would have died shortly thereafter in any event. This is borne out by the fall in “excess deaths” during the summer months, which number was below the average normally expected at that time of the year [See **Appendix D**].

## **HIQA report shows the government was lying**

The report also states that the government, in its official figures of Covid-related deaths, included many cases where death should not have been attributed to Covid but solely to serious underlying conditions. It classified these as persons who “at the time of death who were at or close to end-of-life independently of COVID-19”. In short, HIQA is saying that the government was clearly counting as ‘Covid deaths’ a great many cases which had nothing to do with Covid. The government was deliberately deceiving the public.

In fact, the Tánaiste (Leo Varadkar TD) boasted in the Dáil on 9 July that the government made a point of including every conceivable case in its count of Covid-related deaths, even where Covid very obviously played no role whatever:

“One thing we always did in Ireland, from day one, was to count cases in care homes. Other countries did not do that. We counted suspected cases where there was not a laboratory test confirming the patient had Covid. Other countries did not do that. We did not discount people who had underlying conditions, as other countries did. If somebody with stage 4 cancer in a nursing home was suspected of having Covid but did not test positive for it, we included him or her in the total. Other countries did not include such cases.” – The Tánaiste, Leo Varadkar TD, Dáil Eireann, 9 July 2020 [Official Dáil Report]

Source: <https://www.oireachtas.ie/en/debates/debate/dail/2020-07-09/4/>

This is a frank (and rather surprising) public admission that the government deliberately inflated the number of deaths due to Covid-19. Why did it do this? This is a question we will return to later.

**“...the LORD shall reward the doer of evil  
according to his wickedness.”  
(2 Samuel 3:39)**

## **Another agency reveals the government was lying**

**Appendix B** contains an exchange between the Chairman of the Select Committee on Covid-19 and the Interim Director of the Health Protection Surveillance Centre on 29 September 2020. It confirms that all “broken leg” cases who tested ‘positive’ for Covid were included in the daily government numbers of cases hospitalised for Covid.

This shows that three sets of daily government figures were being artificially inflated by the government: (a) new cases of persons testing positive for Covid; (b) new cases of persons hospitalized with Covid; and (c) case count of deaths attributed to Covid. It should be noted that the Interim Director stated before the Committee that all deaths attributed to Covid would be validated via a coroner's report and that if another cause of death was identified the Covid death count would be adjusted after the fact. There is no indication that this was ever done.

The government did not reveal the methodology that it used to compute its figure of 85,000 deaths from Covid. It would appear to have been greatly influenced by equally lurid projections for the UK, where Prof Neil Ferguson of Imperial College, London, was claiming that 500,000 deaths could occur. This was a death rate for the population as a whole of 0.8 percent – but still far lower than the 1.7 percent rate projected by the Taoiseach!



It should be remembered that, at the time the Taoiseach was touting a figure of 85,000 Covid deaths in Ireland, the total number of Covid deaths in China, where the virus had first been detected in late November and had had free rein in the community for at least two months, was only 4,600 (out of a population of 1,400 million!).

### **The PCR test protocol is a sham**

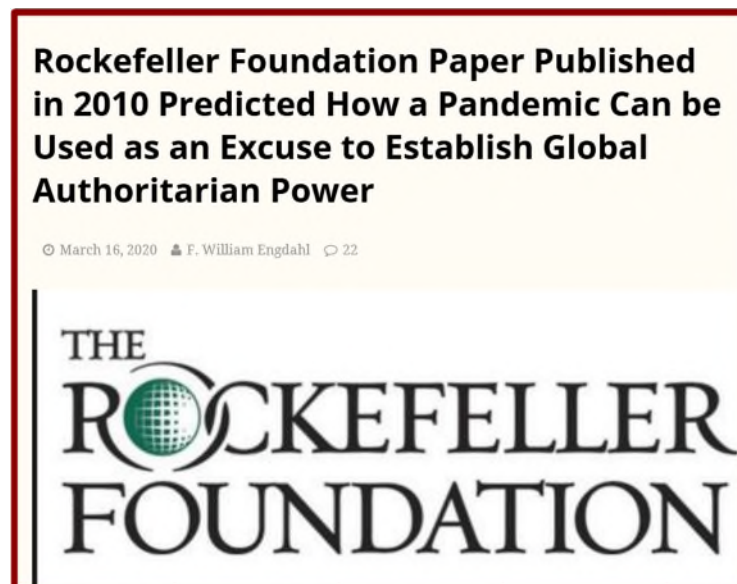
The government continues to frighten the public by reporting a daily total of new cases for persons testing 'positive' for Covid-19. These tests are all based on the discredited PCR protocol which even the World Health Organization admits cannot be used for diagnostic purposes except in conjunction with other observational indicators [See **Appendix C**]. The vast majority of 'positive' PCR cases in Ireland are asymptomatic and therefore irrelevant. By including these cases in its daily tally, the government is engaging in fraud.

In conclusion, in our assessment of the severity of the threat to public health posed by Covid-19, based on the evidence available to the government in early March 2020, it is clear that there was no justification for believing the virus was more pathogenic or contagious than a seasonal flu. The state of emergency declared by the government had no foundation and the laws enacted by the Oireachtas were unnecessary and harmful. They were also unconstitutional and in conflict with the continued effective operation of our democracy.



Furthermore, the government continued thereafter to artificially inflate the three official sets of Covid-related statistics – the count of positive tests, the count of Covid-related cases that had to be hospitalised, and the count of deaths attributed to Covid. This was fraudulent and amounted to a deliberate attempt by the government to convince the public that a pandemic was ongoing when, in reality, the *epidemic* – per HIQA – was of short duration and had a limited impact.

We will discuss later the reason the government engaged in this unlawful deception.



**Heading of article by William Engdahl, March 16, 2020**

### **The availability of suitable alternative courses of action**

At no time did the government offer any possible alternative ways of containing the spread of the alleged virus. Rather, it marched in lockstep with everything the World Health Organization (WHO) advised them to do. The government did not bother to show why it believed the approach being recommended by the WHO was the correct one, the best one, or even an appropriate one. In short, it offered no analysis to justify what it was proposing.

In presenting its “solution” to the Irish people it never explained that the ‘lockdown’ approach was a completely novel way of handling a pandemic, that it had not been tried anywhere at any time in history, and that it inflicted a measure of unavoidable harm in order to achieve the “greater good”.

There are sound reasons, some medical and some pragmatic, why a national lockdown has never previously been used anywhere at any time to contain a pandemic. The government, the Department of Health and the Health Service Executive all failed to explain what these reasons were and why, in their professional opinion, they were not applicable in the current situation. They include the following:

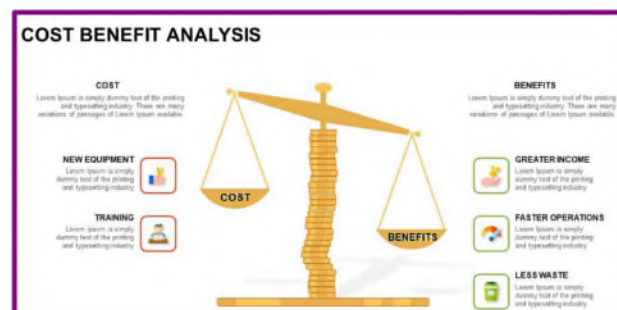
- lockdowns cause unavoidable harm across society;
- the benefits of a lockdown are very difficult to estimate;

- no viral pathogen has ever been contained in this way;
- community immunity is achieved much faster if the population is allowed to move about freely;
- lockdowns impact disproportionately on certain sectors of society;
- lockdowns effectively assume – without any scientific justification – that all citizens present a potential health threat to other members of society;
- lockdowns are indiscriminate and abusive in the absence of a safe and definitive test to establish that an individual is well;
- lockdowns can be lifted only at the discretion of a small number of people (to wit, the government, on advice from senior medical professionals) and are thus a potential threat to democracy and social stability.

Lockdowns are also extremely expensive! The money used to underwrite the cost of a lockdown could be used much more effectively in other ways to save lives and extend the average life-span (improving hospital services, tackling homelessness, improving home-care for the elderly, providing better counselling services for addiction and depression, etc).

## **The right approach was rejected without explanation**

The government never explained why the traditional way of dealing with a pandemic was not employed to contain the spread of Covid. This essentially entails the introduction of measures to reduce the risk of exposure among elderly persons and those with a compromised immune system. It does not entail any restriction of activity by those who are well, except where it may directly undermine the effectiveness of the measures designed to protect the elderly and immune-compromised. In short, more than 95% of the population would have been unaffected by policies based on the traditional approach. The economy could have functioned normally and normal group activity within the community would have been largely unaffected. Relative to the cost of a national lockdown, the cost of the traditional method is miniscule. It is also easier to manage and supervise, and can be tailored to the needs of individual cases.



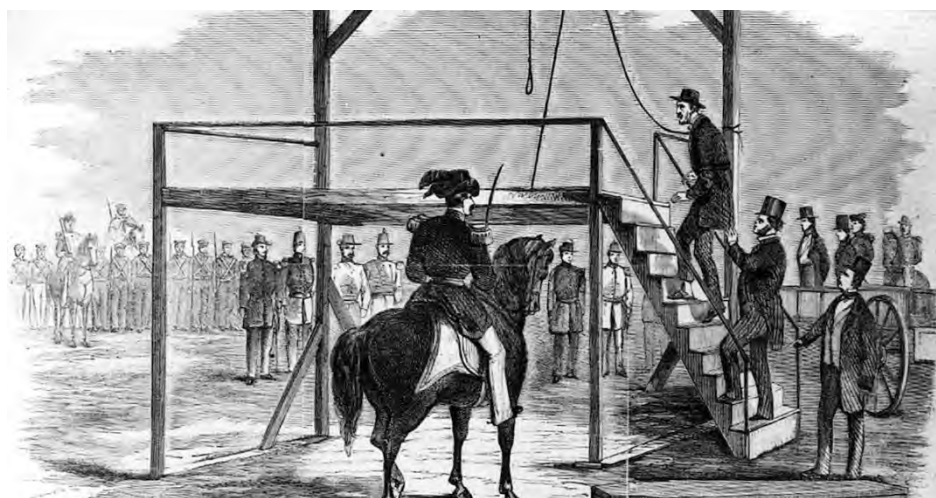
The course chosen by the government was both extremely expensive and immensely destructive. It did not carry out the most elementary cost-benefit analysis of the approach it was proposing or compare it with the cost of any alternatives. This amounted to unprofessional conduct, a serious abuse of public office, and a gross misuse of public funds.

### **Criminal negligence**

The government also failed to conduct the most elementary due diligence in relation to the approach being suggested by the World Health Organization. The facts and figures offered by the WHO were taken at face value and no independent examination of their validity was undertaken. The government also placed unjustified confidence in the integrity of reports coming out of China, both those emanating from official sources and those broadcast via the media and in other ways.

It never sought to establish whether or not the Wuhan outbreak was exaggerated, whether it was actually caused by a virus, whether the virus had been isolated, or whether the statistics in relation to morbidity and mortality were reliable. China is a communist country with a communist agenda and a very poor record in relation to government transparency and information sharing. The government did not even establish a definitive symptomology. Neither did it prove that a person with no symptoms could be contagious or that the PCR test advocated by the WHO was reliable (It turned out to be fraudulent – see **Appendix C**).

The traditional approach to the containment of viral pathogens is tried and effective. By rejecting it out of hand and greatly exaggerating the threat to public health, the government betrayed the people of Ireland.



**When treason was a crime.**

## **The likelihood that the policies would be successful**

The government should have provided an objective basis or methodology by which the success or otherwise of its strategy could be assessed, but it failed to do so. Specifically it had no system in place to monitor the amount of social, economic and psychological harm being caused by its policies. Thus it had no way of knowing whether the damage inflicted by its policies was substantially outweighed by the benefits they were intended to produce.

Since this egregious state of affairs has been running for nearly a year, adversely affecting the health and well-being of the entire nation, not to mention its future political stability, the conduct of the government to date has been reprehensible.



**The Taoiseach surveys the success of his government's policies.**

## **Absence of scientific evidence or empirical justification**

One of the most disturbing aspects of what the government is doing – if one ignores for the moment its blatantly fraudulent manipulation of statistics – is the complete absence of any scientific foundation to its policies. This can be inferred from its failure at any stage to demonstrate that its strategy was underpinned by proven medical experience, accepted epidemiological standards, peer-reviewed research, or empirical data drawn from reliable sources. However, it is not necessary to infer this since the relevant health authorities have confirmed, in response to a series of Freedom of Information access requests, that the government had no scientific basis for any aspect of its pandemic-containment strategy.

We list in the **following table** the records held by the Department of Health, the HSE, HIQA and the HPRA relating to the scientific evidence used by them to support the government's strategy:



List of records sought under the Freedom of Information Act regarding -	Department of Health response	HSE response	HIQA response	HPRA response
Isolation of the Covid-19 virus.	[No reply after 4 months]	No records.	No records.	—
The proven scientific effectiveness of lockdowns.	The Dept claims the question is too broad.	No records.	No records.	—
Scientific evidence that the social isolation and restricted mobility caused by lockdowns do not have a materially adverse effect on the physical and mental health of the elderly (persons aged 70 above).	The Dept claims the request would be too difficult to process.	No records.	No records.	—
The proven scientific effectiveness of face masks as a means of limiting or containing the spread of Covid-19 or similar viral pathogens.	No records. The Dept cites a HIQA report which does not answer the question.	No records.	HIQA cited 4 documents on the effectiveness and safety of face masks, only one of which was relevant. A quote from that report is given at (a) below.	No records.
The proven scientific safety of face masks as a means of limiting or containing the spread of Covid-19 or similar viral pathogens, with particular reference to the duration the mask is worn.	No records. The Dept cites a HIQA report which does not answer the question.	No records.		No records.
The proven scientific effectiveness of social-distancing as a means of limiting or containing the spread of Covid-19 or similar viral pathogens.	No records. The Dept cites a HIQA report which does not answer the question.	No records.	—	—

- (a) “There is an urgent need for more research, particularly high quality studies that provide direct evidence on the use of face masks by healthy people in the community.”

List of records sought under the Freedom of Information Act regarding -	Department of Health response	HSE response	HIQA response	HPRA response
<b>The proven scientific <u>effectiveness of vaccines</u> which the state has approved to limit or contain the spread of Covid-19 or provide the recipient with personal immunity against it.</b>	No records. The Dept claims this is a matter for the European Medicines Agency.	No records.	No records.	No records. HPRA claims this is a matter for the European Medicines Agency.
<b>The proven scientific <u>safety of the vaccines</u> which the state has approved to limit or contain the spread of Covid-19 or provide the recipient with personal immunity against it.</b>	No records. The Dept claims this is a matter for the European Medicines Agency.	No records.	No records.	No records. HPRA claims this is a matter for the European Medicines Agency.

*FOI requests made on behalf of Anti-Corruption Ireland.*

Department of Health: Responsible for health policy in Ireland

HSE: Health Service Executive, responsible for health service delivery in Ireland

HIQA: Health Information and Quality Authority, responsible for monitoring standards

HPRA: Health Product Regulatory Agency

## **The shocking absence of any scientific credibility**

These disclosures tell us a great deal about the callous, ill-considered and ad hoc nature of the government's policies. For example, it requires schoolchildren to wear face masks for several hours a day even though it has no idea whether such a practice is either safe or effective. It isolates elderly people from social contact, including contact with family members, for weeks on end and yet it has no scientific information to show that the harm caused to their mental health is more than off-set by the alleged protective benefits. It has from the beginning espoused a nationwide vaccination program as the only viable solution in the long-term to the health crisis which it claims exists, and yet it has no scientific proof that Covid-type vaccines are either safe or effective. These inexcusable failures constitute reckless endangerment, a serious crime under Irish law.

There is another disturbing aspect to all of this. The Department failed to reply to our request under the Freedom of Information Act for scientific proof that the Covid-19 virus had been isolated. We know from many sources that it has not, but the Department would rather be in breach of the Act than admit in writing that the virus has not been isolated.

It is the role of the HSE, HIQA, and officials in the Department of Health to advise the government on its public health strategy. Before the government went ahead with its Covid-containment proposals it would have sought advice from one or more of these bodies regarding their safety and effectiveness. This advice, if it were to have any legitimacy, should have been underpinned by scientific evidence and reliable research data. Nevertheless, on the basis of the replies we received to our Freedom of Information requests, the bodies concerned had virtually no scientific evidence to back up their advice.



**Reckless endangerment.**

In a modern democracy operating in accordance with high medical standards, this is deplorable. The government embarked on a radical programme of social control, which included the cancellation of elective surgery and the closure of businesses across the entire country, even though it lacked any scientific evidence to show that the imposition of such extreme measures was warranted! It could not possibly have known whether its proposals were effective, safe or appropriate.

### **Foreign organizations dictate Ireland's health policy**

By acting in this way, while at the same time rejecting the proven traditional approach to containing the spread of viral pathogens, the government was guilty of serious mismanagement. Its determined refusal to seek sound professional advice from alternative, independent sources is proof that its agenda had already been set, presumably by the World Health Organization. This is extremely disquieting.

The government knowingly rejected a safe and effective course of action in favour of one foisted upon it by an international body, a course which entailed considerable cost to the taxpayer, serious adverse implications for public health, immense social disruption, and great harm to the economy. In doing so it deliberately exaggerated the nature and extent of a public health hazard, to the point where it was prepared to manufacture data on morbidity and mortality in order to frighten the public.

In short, the government behaved in a criminally irresponsible way. A great many people have been harmed by its actions and the country has been pushed to the brink of a crisis – economic, social and political – which could jeopardize its future.

## The role of the media

None of this would have been possible without extensive co-operation by the media, notably RTE, *The Irish Times* and *The Irish Independent*. They consistently portrayed government policy as the only way to address the alleged pandemic and failed to consider any other option. No debate or criticism of government policy was permitted. Any discussion of the adverse impact on the economy or the people of Ireland of the draconian solution imposed by the government was completely suppressed. The media have effectively served as an arm of government for the past year. They have poured out relentless propaganda disguised as “news” and stoked public fear at every opportunity. Any information that might cast doubt on the strategy the government was imposing was consistently omitted, including the views and opinions of medical and scientific experts in Ireland and abroad.



Ireland's leading neo-Marxist newspapers

## The Government's Motivation

In order to understand why the government acted as it did and why it continues to pursue the same course of action despite the harm that its irrational and irresponsible policies are inflicting, we need to look at the wider geopolitical context.

Ireland is a tiny player on the world stage and yet its industrial base is dominated by multinational corporations which exercise considerable influence in world affairs. The IT and pharmaceutical industries, which are entirely foreign-owned, wield immense political power in this country. They stand to make substantial profits from any government policies that increase the sale of their products. The people of Ireland have every reason to be concerned that the government and senior public servants, as well as the media, have been ‘bought’ by the pharmaceutical industry. The manner in which the so-called crisis has been handled to date and the overwhelming level of support from politicians and the media for a proprietary, high-risk pharmaceutical solution is compelling evidence that this has happened.



The government's draconian policies should be seen as a nationwide exercise in social engineering, where many traditional activities are being substantially modified or simply abolished. Small and medium-sized businesses are being destroyed and indigenous Irish-owned industries are being crushed by turbo-charged foreign monoliths. All of this is fully consistent with the framework of sweeping changes envisaged by the World Economic Forum under its *Great Reset* programme and by the far-reaching social transformation prescribed under UN *Agenda 21* and *Agenda 2030*. It is also consistent with the 'world government' policies advocated by the Bilderberg Group.

It is hardly a coincidence that the government is implementing a radical set of social policies (disguised as a plan to control a pandemic) which happen to fit perfectly with the new world order that the World Economic Forum, the United Nations, and the Bilderberg Group are planning to establish before 2030.



## The 'pandemic' lie

**Appendix D** sets out the excess mortality rates by week in Ireland for the whole of 2020. They clearly show that the country never had a pandemic at any stage and that the government has been lying. The factors we have been discussing also strongly suggest that the government will continue to lie unless those responsible are brought to account.

The PCR test that the government has been using to test for Covid is fatally flawed and should not be used for diagnostic purposes. This was proven in a paper published in November 2020. It showed that the paper on which the test is based committed many grievous and inexcusable scientific errors and should have been withdrawn. (See **Appendix C**).

The HSE and HIQA admit that they have no scientific proof that the so-called Covid virus was ever isolated. When asked to provide proof, the Department of Health failed to respond (in violation of the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act). If a virus has not been isolated there is no possibility of developing a clinical technique to test for its presence and no possibility of developing a vaccine to treat it. Also, without a viral isolate it is fraudulent to claim that 'variants' of the virus exist!

This government is playing a very dangerous game with the Irish people. It has lied repeatedly in relation to the so-called pandemic, concocted and distorted morbidity and mortality figures, shut down hospital services while at the same time claiming that they were overrun, indulged in outrageous scaremongering, introduced unconstitutional legislation designed to take away basic civil rights, and imposed a draconian system of rules and regulations which have had a severe impact on our economy and our social fabric.

The evidence shows that the government is not working for, or in the best interests of, the people of Ireland. It also shows that it is implementing policies which have no scientific basis or medical validity but are designed primarily to re-engineer Irish society. As stated earlier, this re-engineering process is consistent with the new social and economic order set out in UN *Agenda 21* and *Agenda 2030*, as well as the radical social and economic reorganization envisaged under *The Great Reset*, the brainchild of the World Economic Forum. (The WEF is another consortium of mega-rich individuals who are using their immense wealth to re-mould the world along totalitarian lines.)



**The IT billionaires who coerce governments via the WEF (the Davos gang).**

### **The high-risk Covid vaccine program**

The Irish government is out of control. It is now advocating a high uptake of the dangerous Covid vaccines which, as we have shown, have no medical purpose. The risk to the health and well-being of the Irish people is considerable. Unless the DPP intervenes and orders the arrest of the politicians concerned, the country will fall beneath the juggernaut of international communism and cease to exist as a free, prosperous, and sovereign democracy.

The government's Covid vaccine program is an unethical medical experiment on the Irish people. Numerous scientists and other experts around the world have called for the withdrawal of these vaccines on the grounds that they pose a serious risk to public health. Even if they offer some modest protection against respiratory illness – which is doubtful – they involve the use of a technology which is completely untried and which has the potential to injure or kill millions of recipients. By promoting this program, knowing the serious risks involved, the government is guilty of reckless endangerment.

### **“Heil Gates”**



**Two well-known faces dictating world health policy at the WEF.**

### **Suppression of Religious Freedom**

Since most members of the Oireachtas are de facto Marxists, Freemasons, New Age pagans, or atheists, there are no defenders of Christianity among our political elite. None, absolutely none. The government has used the so-called pandemic to suppress traditional religious worship, to close our churches, prevent religious gatherings, and outlaw weddings. Families cannot attend the funerals of their deceased relatives. This is a monstrous obscenity, a blatant attempt by the Christ-hating, Masonic-Marxist establishment to crush Christianity in Ireland and abolish all laws and practices based on Biblical truth.

This is a straightforward violation of the Constitution, a repudiation of the right of every Irish citizen to worship God and honor the person and work of Jesus Christ. The hand of the Crown is evident in all of this. The wicked cabal who imposed the Penal Laws on the people of this country in the 17<sup>th</sup> century would have applauded the treachery and duplicity of the current Irish government.

**“He that ruleth over men must be just, ruling in the fear of God... But the sons of Belial shall be all of them as thorns thrust away, because they cannot be taken with hands... the man that shall touch them must be fenced with iron and the staff of a spear; and they shall be utterly burned with fire in the same place.” (2 Samuel 23:3,6,7)**

### **The Director of Public Prosecutions must act now**

We call on the Director of Public Prosecutions to charge all members of the current government and its predecessor with these offences, in addition to such other persons as she considers appropriate in light of the seriousness of the crimes in question.

The publication ***Guidelines for Prosecutors*** (5<sup>th</sup> Edition, 2019) states:

**2.4** The Prosecution of Offences Act 1974 established the Director of Public Prosecutions as an officer authorised in accordance with law **to act for the purpose of prosecuting in the name of the People as provided for in Article 30.3 of the Constitution...**

**2.5** The 1974 Act thereby conferred on the Director of Public Prosecutions the function of prosecuting both on indictment and summarily. All criminal prosecutions taken on indictment are taken in the name of the People and are prosecuted at the suit of the Director, except for a limited category of offences still prosecuted at the suit of the Attorney General.



**We are making this request in the name of the People under Article 30.3 of the Constitution.** None of the bodies under the control of the government, including the Garda Síochána, will make it. We are asking the Office of the DPP, as an independent body empowered to defend and uphold the Constitution, to intervene and prosecute these people.



We list below the crimes by the Irish government, based on the evidence set out in this paper:

1. Members of the government introduced legislation which they knew would undermine the imprescriptible and inalienable rights of Irish citizens under the Constitution.
2. Members of the government engaged in deliberate deception, including the falsification of data and the publication of health statistics known to be either false or misleading.
3. Members of the government failed to carry out due diligence and apply objective scientific methods of analysis before introducing draconian regulations to contain the spread of Covid.
4. Members of the government failed to use public finances in a proportionate and productive manner, as required by law.
5. Members of the government misallocated and misused public finances on a very significant scale.
6. Members of the government endangered the health of a great many Irish citizens by denying them access to necessary healthcare.
7. Members of the government imposed a state of national emergency on insufficient legal and medical grounds and failed to provide an objective, verifiable and democratic means by which the state of emergency could be lifted.
8. Members of the government suppressed the Constitutional right to engage in commercial and business activity and unlawfully removed the right to earn a living and provide for one's family.
9. Members of the government unlawfully suppressed the right to travel and to commute without hindrance under common law.
10. Members of the government introduced public policy measures which they knew would have a disproportionate impact on the most vulnerable members of society.
11. Members of the government failed to inform the Oireachtas of the unconstitutional implications of the draft legislation which passed into law in March 2020.
12. Member of the government failed to prepare a memorandum for the information of the Oireachtas and the public explaining why, in their estimation, their proposed policies were both reasonable and proportionate, and providing objective, scientific evidence to support their opinion.

13. Members of the government engaged in deliberate scaremongering with a view to achieving public compliance with government policy.
14. Members of the government deliberately misrepresented public policy matters through their undue and unlawful influence on the national broadcaster and the print media.
15. Members of the government engaged in the deliberate and systematic misuse of the national police force to intimidate and harass citizens for no lawful purpose.
16. Members of the government (a) unlawfully endorsed commercial products; (b) unlawfully endorsed commercial products of unknown and unproven efficacy; and (c) unlawfully endorsed commercial products which have not been properly tested and which are potentially hazardous.
17. Members of the government approved for general use a test which inaccurately described as a health risk persons who had no illness and no symptoms indicative of illness.
18. Members of the government maintained a register of persons falsely described as a danger to public health.
19. Members of the government promoted and enforced measures (such as mask wearing and physical distancing) which are known to cause physical, physiological and psychological problems without possessing objective, scientific evidence that such measures would contain the spread of a contagious virus.
20. Members of the government pursued policies advocated by an international organisation without first consulting independent experts in Ireland as to their safety, effectiveness, proportionality or legality.
21. Members of the government deliberately misled the public into believing their Covid policies were based on objective science, proven methodologies, and sound empirical data.
22. Members of the government failed to ensure that a coroner's report was made in all cases where the cause of death was recorded as 'Covid'. They also failed to correct official statistics which wrongly recorded Covid as the cause of death.
23. Members of the government caused harm to the elderly by mandating an isolation regime in care homes and elsewhere which took no account of individual circumstances, health status, or other factors affecting their general well-being.

24. Members of the government allowed off-licences to remain open and sell alcoholic drinks but required Christian churches to close.
25. Members of the government caused harm to schoolchildren by seriously interrupting their education and denying them access to activities known to be essential to their social and emotional development.
26. Members of the government caused harm to children with disabilities by denying them access to essential services.
27. Members of the government caused psychological harm to school-children by requiring that they wear face masks.
28. Members of the government undermined law and order by failing to maintain the effective operation of the court system.

We'll conclude with a brief summary of what the Irish government have shown themselves to be, by their actions and by their policies in 2020: They are liars who have consistently deceived and misled the Irish people; they are traitors who have betrayed our country to international Marxism; they are thugs who have caused serious physical, emotional and mental harm to tens of thousands of Irish people; they are thieves who have misused and misallocated enormous sums of public money; they are bigots and blasphemers who mock Christianity and Christian values; and they are vandals who have destroyed hundreds of thousands of Irish jobs and driven countless small-to-medium sized enterprises out of business.

We call on the DPP to exercise her statutory duty and prosecute these criminals as a matter of national urgency.

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**Jeremy James**

**Ireland**

**March 2, 2021**

## APPENDIX A

### Background

The World Health Organization declared a global pandemic on 11 March 2020 due to the rising death toll of cases involving Covid-19 coronavirus infections. The first reported case in Ireland was confirmed on 29 February. As the number of reported cases grew the government decided to shut all schools, colleges and childcare facilities on 12 March. Large gatherings were cancelled, including the parades traditionally held on St Patrick's Day. On 24 March the government ordered the closure of all businesses (other than those deemed essential), including retail outlets, restaurants, pubs, cinemas etc. The provision of hospital services was greatly reduced. On 27 March it imposed a stay-at-home order ("lockdown") across all counties and banned all non-essential travel and contact with persons outside one's home. Members of the public were asked to practice "social distancing" and Gardai were given additional powers of enforcement to ensure compliance with the restrictive measures imposed by the government. This included the use of roadside checkpoints to determine whether drivers and their passengers, if any, were undertaking non-essential journeys.

These restrictions continued until 18 May, when the first "lockdown" ended, and were gradually eased over the following three months in accordance with a 'road map' published by the government on 1 May. Certain restrictions continued to operate, such as the requirement to wear a face mask on public transport and, with limited exceptions, when visiting retail outlets.

A second "lockdown" was announced by the government, to commence on 21 October and end on 30 November. A third "lockdown" was imposed on all counties on 27 December.

The government also introduced emergency legislation to enforce its pandemic restrictions. This included the **Health (Preservation and Protection and other Emergency Measures in the Public Interest) Act 2020** and the **Emergency Measures in the Public Interest (Covid-19) Act 2020**, both of which were passed in March. These Acts gave considerable new powers to the Gardai, including the right of arrest without a warrant.

## APPENDIX B

### Special Committee on Covid-19 Response

#### Debate: 29 September 2020

[https://www.oireachtas.ie/en/debates/debate/special\\_committee\\_on\\_covid\\_19\\_response/2020-09-29/3/](https://www.oireachtas.ie/en/debates/debate/special_committee_on_covid_19_response/2020-09-29/3/)

#### Exchange between the Chairman and Dr John Cuddihy,

#### Interim Director of the Health Protection Surveillance Centre

**Michael McNamara T.D. (Chairman):** I have a brief follow-up question for Dr Cuddihy. Let us suppose somebody who is asymptomatic, that is, who is showing no symptoms of Covid, has a heart attack, is brought to hospital and is tested and it is found that the person has Covid and he or she dies soon afterwards. This is a person who has demonstrated no symptoms. Is that person's death recorded as a Covid death or not? The person tested positive for Covid but, ultimately, he or she was taken to hospital because he or she had a heart attack, a stroke, fell off the roof of a building or the like.

**Dr John Cuddihy:** We adhere to the World Health Organization case definition in the recording and reporting of deaths. In the situation you describe where somebody has a positive Covid test, it is a death in a confirmed Covid case. However, such a case would be subject to a coroner's report as well. As part of the ongoing validation of the data in our surveillance system we take additional details in respect of such ---

**Michael McNamara T.D. (Chairman):** Okay. I am trying to be very brief. Obviously, a coroner's report takes a long time to make its way through the system.

**Dr John Cuddihy:** Yes.

**Michael McNamara T.D. (Chairman):** For now, it is recorded as a Covid death, but it may be taken off the list at a later date. Is that what Dr Cuddihy is saying?

**Dr John Cuddihy:** That is it, exactly.

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**Michael McNamara T.D. (Chairman):** I have a couple of questions. Further to my previous question to Dr Cuddihy about what is classified as a Covid death, if somebody is admitted to a hospital with a broken leg, for example, requires hospitalisation and is asymptomatic but tests positive for Covid-19, is that person included among the statistics for those in hospital with Covid?

**Dr John Cuddihy:** Yes. If the person has tested positive, he or she is ---

**Michael McNamara T.D. (Chairman):** Even though the reason the person was admitted may not have been Covid – he or she may have been admitted with a broken leg, a heart attack or something else unrelated to Covid – he or she is classified as being in hospital with Covid and included in the statistics for those who are hospitalised with Covid.

**Dr John Cuddihy:** Yes, such cases are included in the surveillance statistics.

**Michael McNamara T.D. (Chairman):** They are the statistics that are relayed at the daily press conferences?

**Dr John Cuddihy:** That is right.

## APPENDIX C

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Dear Ms O’Beirne,

I refer to your letter of 19<sup>th</sup> October 2020 to Deputy Mattie McGrath in reply to his Parliamentary Question PQ28704/20 addressed to the Minister for Health in relation to the PCR test being used by the HSE and the public health authorities in Ireland to detect Covid-19.

It is my understanding that the PCR test in Ireland is used in accordance with the official guidelines for such tests, issued by the World Health Organisation. At the time of your reply to Deputy McGrath the relevant WHO document in this regard was ***Diagnostic Testing for SARS-CoV-2, Interim Guidance, 11 September 2020*** [Link: <https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/diagnostic-testing-for-sars-cov-2>]

On 20 January 2021 the WHO issued a significant amendment to that document, called ***WHO Information Notice for IVD Users 2020/05: Nucleic acid testing (NAT) technologies that use polymerase chain reaction (PCR) for detection of SARS-CoV-2*** [Link: <https://www.who.int/news/item/20-01-2021-who-information-notice-for-ivd-users-2020-05>] The update included the following change to the PCR testing guidelines:

“Most PCR assays are indicated as an aid for diagnosis, therefore, health care providers must consider any result in combination with timing of sampling, specimen type, assay specifics, clinical observations, patient history, confirmed status of any contacts, and epidemiological information.”

This departs radically from the PCR testing protocol currently being used in Ireland to diagnose Covid-19 infections. At present a person who tests positive is by definition ‘Covid positive’ and is included in the official register of new cases. It has not been necessary to date to have any regard to “clinical observations,” therefore people who do not exhibit any symptoms are still being included in the official case count. The WHO update of 20 January now states that nobody can now be added to the official case count unless the other factors identified by the WHO in the above extract have been taken into account. In short, persons who test positive but who exhibit no relevant symptoms cannot be added to the case count.

This is a major admission by the World Health Organization. It means that the national case count, going forward, can only comprise persons who are clearly exhibiting symptoms of Covid-19 infection. It also means that all case count figures supplied in the past, commencing March 2020, were defective and should be withdrawn. Alternatively they should be revised to comprise only symptomatic cases and an amended set of daily or weekly figures published to reflect the new guidelines.

I would be grateful if you could confirm:

- (a) that only symptomatic cases will be included in future case count figures, and
- (b) that all published national case count figures before this date will be withdrawn or revised in accordance with the amended guidelines.

You are probably aware that a paper published in November 2020 by several respected scientists has shown that the PCR test approved by the WHO is based on a fraudulent paper published in January 2020 (See '*Detection of 2019 novel coronavirus (2019-nCoV) by real-time RT-PCR*' by Cormen, Drosten *et al* which was published by *Eurosurveillance* 25(8) on 23 January 2020, and *External peer review of the RTPCR test to detect SARS-CoV-2 reveals 10 major scientific flaws at the molecular and methodological level: consequences for false positive results* by Borger, Kammerer *et al* which was published on [www.researchgate.net](http://www.researchgate.net) and addressed to the *Eurosurveillance* editorial board on 27 November 2020). This ought to be of deep concern to all professionals in the field of epidemiology. One major scientific flaw would be enough to discredit the use of PCR for legitimate diagnostic purposes, but ten!

In light of the Borger-Kammerer paper I would ask, on both legal and medical grounds, why the HSE continues to use the unscientific PCR test for diagnosing cases of Covid?

Yours sincerely

Robert Pye

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24 January 2021

## APPENDIX D

### Excess deaths [%] by week in Ireland during 2020

1	2.00	14	9.47	27	<b>[2.38]</b>	40	0.26
2	2.62	15	11.83	28	<b>[1.38]</b>	41	0.16
3	0.32	16	9.98	29	0.20	42	0.11
4	<b>[0.31]</b>	17	5.98	30	<b>[1.36]</b>	43	<b>[0.18]</b>
5	0.53	18	3.27	31	<b>[2.70]</b>	44	0.29
6	0.68	19	2.08	32	<b>[1.22]</b>	45	<b>[1.11]</b>
7	1.27	20	1.01	33	<b>[0.64]</b>	46	<b>[1.00]</b>
8	0.91	21	<b>[0.95]</b>	34	<b>[0.67]</b>	47	<b>[3.08]</b>
9	0.44	22	0.38	35	<b>[0.86]</b>	48	<b>[3.87]</b>
10	0.25	23	<b>[1.28]</b>	36	<b>[0.98]</b>	49	<b>[4.53]</b>
11	<b>[0.08]</b>	24	<b>[0.92]</b>	37	0.72	50	<b>[6.80]</b>
12	1.18	25	<b>[1.35]</b>	38	<b>[2.23]</b>	51	<b>[7.61]</b>
13	3.65	26	<b>[1.07]</b>	39	<b>[1.70]</b>	52	<b>[6.24]</b>

[Link: <https://www.euromomo.eu/graphs-and-maps>]

The figures shown in bold (inside brackets) are negative. Other figures are positive. [These figures pertained to the graph displayed on 22 January 2021. Some adjustments may have been made thereafter.]

The notable number of excess deaths in the period Weeks 13-18 are offset by the fall in the number of excess deaths during the remainder of the year. In the period Weeks 21-52, the number of excess deaths was below the mean in 25 of the 32 weeks concerned. The statistics show that for the year as a whole that the number of excess deaths was close to zero. There was no pandemic, while the ‘epidemic’, such as it was, lasted only 6 weeks or so.

It should be noted that during the period Weeks 45-52, when the government was consistently warning that the ‘virus’ posed a deadly ongoing threat to the health of our nation and hospital services were barely able to cope with the increased demand, the number of excess deaths was below the mean every week for the entire period. Significantly, during the month of December, when the government was warning that a “new wave” was spreading across the country and morbidity was rising precipitously – necessitating, it said, a new nationwide ‘lockdown’ from 27 December – the number of excess deaths was on average 6 percent below the mean. The government was clearly lying.

These figures may be found on the Euromomo website, which compiles and archives the official weekly ‘excess deaths’ statistics for a large number of European countries. Euromomo defines “excess deaths” as “deviation in mortality from the expected level”.